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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on October 29, 2004 in connection with the above-identified patent application. A shortened statutory period for filing a response to the Office Action is set to expire on January 31, 2005. Reconsideration of this case is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-3, 28, 29 and 34 have been amended, claims 41-46 have been added.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 15 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing Figure 1 is attached following page 19 of this paper.

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